

John Smith -

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...for certain persons engaged in the land and travel service of the United States ...  
...to bring within the provisions of an act of Congress entitled "An Act to ...  
...of my property, or any part thereof, with the exception of ...  
...and eighth, and that I have not since that time by gift, sale or in any manner ...  
...of the United States on the eighth day of March one thousand eight ...  
...as witness my hand and seal of office this ...

I Peter Smith on oath say and declare that I  
have no real nor Personal estate except my necessaries  
belonging and wearing apparel - ~~except~~ <sup>except</sup> none any in  
some except — one cow  
one pig I am a farmer but I am  
not able to labor, except in summer at a time - I mean as  
as much as a boy I have three children living with  
me under age — Josiah 13 years old  
Jane 12 years old  
Hannah 9 years old

But with my family and a sick wife I am unable to  
support my self without the aid of public or private  
charity.  
P. Peter Smith

1890.

~~SUBSCRIBED~~ and sworn to before me

~~one of the Justices of said Court.~~

State of Maine

Hancock Co

On this 17th day of July 1820 Personally  
appeared before me Wm Cooley one of the judges of  
the Eastern circuit court of Hancock and Penobscot  
in the county of Hancock Washington and Penobscot  
being a court of record by the laws of said state with  
power of fine and imprisonment Peter Smith and 61  
as there in said court who being first duly sworn  
according to law doth on his oath declare that he served  
in the revolutionary war as a soldier to wit three years  
from the first of May 1777 till the spring of 1780  
as a private in Capt. Gray's company in Col. Munnell's  
Regiment in the New Hampshire line of which he  
made declaration before the Hon Wm Cooley one  
of the judges of said court on the 11th day of April  
1820 and for which there received a pension  
certificate N° 9991 and

I Peter Smith ~~do~~ <sup>aforsaid</sup> do solemnly swear, that I was  
a resident citizen of the United States on the eighteenth day of March one thousand eight  
hundred and eighteen, and that I have not since that time, by gift, sale, or in any manner  
whatever, disposed of my property, or any part thereof, with intent thereby so to diminish  
it as to bring myself within the provisions of an act of Congress, entitled "An act to pro-  
vide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval service of the United States in the  
Revolutionary War," passed on the eighteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred  
and eighteen, and that I have not, nor has any person in trust for me, any property or se-  
curities, contracts or debts, due to me: nor have I any income, other than what is con-  
tained in the schedule hereto annexed, and by me subscribed.

*Peter Smith*

1820.

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me

one of the Justices of said Court.

Sworn to and declared on the 17 day of July 1820  
Wm Cooley one of the judges of said court